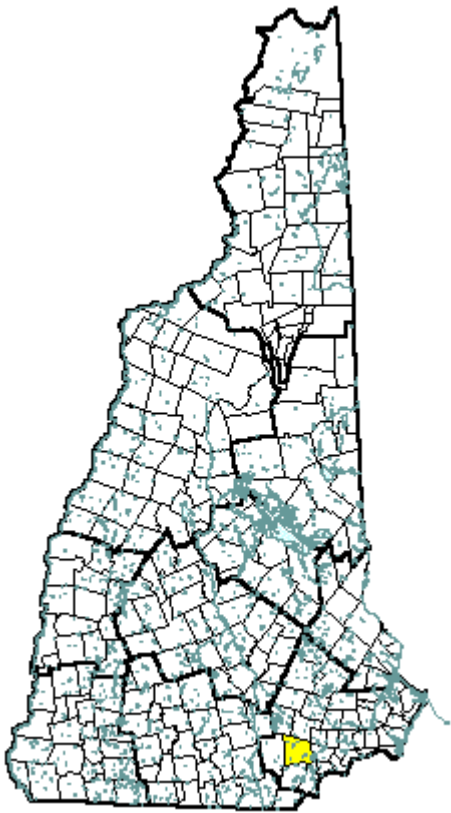


Derry, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
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Regional Development

Election Districts

US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

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Monday through Friday, 7 am - 4 pm; Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 7 am - 4 pm, Wednesday, 10 am - 7 pm

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Merrimack Valley
Southern NH
Regional Economic Development Corp.

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District 19
Rockingham County District 5

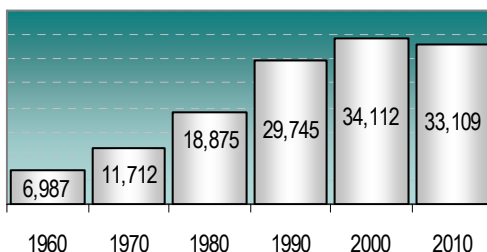
Incorporated: 1827

Origin: Although first settled in 1719, Derry was not incorporated until 1827. For over 100 years it was part of Londonderry, which also included all of Windham and portions of Manchester, Salem, and Hudson. The town was named for the Isle of Derry, Ireland, the Gaelic word Doire meaning "oak woods." Derry is the location of poet Robert Frost's homestead, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Sites, and the birthplace of both General John Stark and astronaut Alan Shepard. Two of the oldest private schools in America were founded here as well, Pinkerton Academy, founded in 1814 and still in operation, and the Adams Female Seminary.

Villages and Place Names: Chases Grove, Collettes Grove, Derry Village, East Derry, Howards Grove

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 2,176 residents in 1830

Population Trends: Derry had the second largest numeric population change, totaling 26,122 over 50 years, from 6,987 in 1960 to 33,109 in 2010.



The largest decennial percent change was 68 percent between 1960 and 1970, followed by decennial increases of 61 percent and 58 percent. The 2010 Census estimate for Derry was 33,109 residents, which ranked fourth among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2010 (US Census Bureau): 929.8 persons per square mile of land area, the tenth highest among the cities and towns. Derry contains 35.6 square miles of land area and 0.9 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Town Admin./Council
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2011	\$39,809,337
Budget: School Appropriations, 2011	\$80,442,145
Zoning Ordinance	1946/11
Master Plan	2010
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Town Council
Appointed:	Planning; Conservation; Zoning; Heritage

Public Library **Derry Public; Taylor Library**

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Police Department	Full-time
Fire Department	Full-time
Emergency Medical Service	Municipal - full-time

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Parkland Medical Center, Derry	Local	82

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	PSNH; NH Electric Coop; Granite State
Natural Gas Supplier	National Grid
Water Supplier	Derry Water Department

Sanitation	Municipal
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	Yes
Solid Waste Disposal	
Curbside Trash Pickup	Private
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No
Recycling Program	Mandatory

Telephone Company	Fairpoint
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes
Cable Television Access	Yes
Public Access Television Station	Yes
High Speed Internet Service: Business	Yes
Residential	Yes

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)

2010 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$28.48
2010 Equalization Ratio	100.0
2010 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$28.05

2010 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	81.4%
Commercial Land and Buildings	17.8%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	0.8%

HOUSING (ACS 2006-2010)

Total Housing Units	13,244
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	8,705
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	992
Five or More Units in Structure	2,853
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	694

DEMOGRAPHICS

(US Census Bureau)

Total Population	Community	County
2010	33,109	295,223
2000	34,112	278,748
1990	29,745	246,744
1980	18,875	190,345
1970	11,712	138,951

Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2006-2010

Population by Gender		
Male	16,701	Female 16,863

Population by Age Group	
Under age 5	2,018
Age 5 to 19	7,298
Age 20 to 34	6,646
Age 35 to 54	11,064
Age 55 to 64	3,794
Age 65 and over	2,744
Median Age	36.6 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over	
High school graduate or higher	92.1%
Bachelor's degree or higher	29.0%

INCOME, 2010 INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ (ACS 2006-2010)

Per capita income	\$30,089
Median 4-person family income	\$87,574
Median household income	\$71,076

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	\$53,831
Female	\$40,585

Families below the poverty level	5.2%
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LABOR FORCE (NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average	2000	2010
Civilian labor force	19,842	20,148
Employed	19,219	18,768
Unemployed	623	1,380
Unemployment rate	3.1%	6.8%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average Covered Employment	2000	2010
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	2,172	730
Average Weekly Wage	\$684	\$1,069

Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	5,691	5,746
Average Weekly Wage	\$572	\$699

Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	7,863	6,476
Average Weekly Wage	\$603	\$741

Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	944	1,070
Average Weekly Wage	\$608	\$909

Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	8,807	7,546
Average Weekly Wage	\$604	\$765

n = indicates that data does not meet disclosure standards

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE*(NH Dept. of Education)*Schools students attend: **Derry operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Pinkerton Academy (Derry)**District: **SAU 10**Career Technology Center(s): **Pinkerton Academy, Derry; Salem High School Vocational Center**Region: **17**

Educational Facilities	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	6	2	1	1
Grade Levels	P K 1-5	6-8	9-12	K 1-8
Total Enrollment	2,309	1,373	3,169	210

2011 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (*DHHS – Bureau of Child Care Licensing*):Total Facilities: **22**Total Capacity: **1,221**Nearest Community/Technical College: **Manchester; Nashua**Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Chester College of New England; Hesser; Southern NH University; UNH-Manchester; St. Anselm****LARGEST BUSINESSES****PRODUCT/SERVICE****EMPLOYEES****ESTABLISHED**

Derry Cooperative School System	Education	603	
HCA Health Services of NH	Health care administration	531	
Pinkerton Academy	Education	485	
Town of Derry	Municipal services	361	
Wal-mart	Retail store	184	1992
Shaw's Supermarket	Supermarket	150	1980
Hannaford Brothers	Supermarket	147	2000
Fireye	Fire equipment	125	1965
Sanmina	Printed circuit boards	125	2007
Biosan Laboratories	Vitamin, supplements, & minerals	115	1970

TRANSPORTATION (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	28, 102, 111, 121, 28 Bypass
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-93, Exit 4
	Distance	1 mile
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		CART
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Runway	9,250 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	13 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		6
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		13 miles
Portland, Maine		93 miles
Boston, Mass.		42 miles
New York City, NY		247 miles
Montreal, Quebec		269 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK*(ACS 2006-2010)*

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	87.3%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	7.1%
Public transportation	0.2%
Walked	0.9%
Other means	0.9%
Worked at home	3.4%
Mean Travel Time to Work	30.4 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2006-2010

Working in community of residence	22.1%
Commuting to another NH community	46.8%
Commuting out-of-state	31.1%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
X	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	Golf Courses
X	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
X	Museums
X	Cinemas
X	Performing Arts Facilities
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
X	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): McIntyre
	Other: Beaver Lake w/ Public Beach; Robert Frost Homestead; Skateboard Park; Opera House; Hood Pond; Taylor Mill State Park; Derryfest; Frost Festival; Farmer's Market